

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**Response to Office Action Dated February 23, 2007**

Sir:

In reply to the Office action of February 23, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the present application in view of the following remarks.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Listing** of claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 6 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.